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I. Basis of assessment of Member States' contributions to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2005

	United States dollars
Assessment of Member States under General Assembly resolution 59/278 of 23 December 2004	1 998 234 600

II. Basis for credits in respect of the Tax Equalization Fund

Under regulation 3.2 (e) of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations, adjustments shall be made to the assessments of the Member States in respect of:

> "Half of the Members' credits in the Tax Equalization Fund for the financial period estimated to be not required to meet charges for tax refunds during the calendar year and any adjustments in the estimated credits previously taken into account."

	United States dollars
Staff assessment income available for credit to Members under General Assembly resolution 59/278 of 23 December 2004	218 725 650
Less: Estimated amount required to meet charges for tax refunds	48 154 573[a]
Total credits accorded to Member States, as shown in section III	**170 571 077**

[a] Amounts charged against the credits of the following Member States for 2005: Eritrea, $1,182; Syrian Arab Republic, $885; Turkey, $32,863; United States of America, $48,119,643.

III. Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2005

(United States dollars)

Member State	Scale of assessments 2005 (percentage)	Gross contributions for 2005	Credit from staff assessment	Net contributions
Afghanistan	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Albania	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Algeria	0.076	1 518 658	166 231	1 352 427
Andorra	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Angola	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Antigua and Barbuda	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Argentina	0.956	19 103 123	2 091 017	17 012 106
Armenia	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Australia	1.592	31 811 895	3 482 112	28 329 783
Austria	0.859	17 164 835	1 878 853	15 285 982
Azerbaijan	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Bahamas	0.013	259 771	28 434	231 337
Bahrain	0.030	599 471	65 618	533 853
Bangladesh	0.010	199 824	21 873	177 951
Barbados	0.010	199 824	21 873	177 951
Belarus	0.018	359 682	39 371	320 311
Belgium	1.069	21 361 128	2 338 177	19 022 951
Belize	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Benin	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Bhutan	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Bolivia	0.009	179 841	19 685	160 156
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Botswana	0.012	239 788	26 247	213 541
Brazil	1.523	30 433 113	3 331 192	27 101 921
Brunei Darussalam	0.034	679 400	74 367	605 033
Bulgaria	0.017	339 700	37 183	302 517
Burkina Faso	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Burundi	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Cambodia	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Cameroon	0.008	159 859	17 498	142 361
Canada	2.813	56 210 339	6 152 753	50 057 586
Cape Verde	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Central African Republic	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Chad	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Chile	0.223	4 456 063	487 758	3 968 305
China	2.053	41 023 756	4 490 438	36 533 318
Colombia	0.155	3 097 264	339 025	2 758 239
Comoros	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Congo	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Costa Rica	0.030	599 471	65 618	533 853
Côte d'Ivoire	0.010	199 824	21 873	177 951
Croatia	0.037	739 347	80 928	658 419
Cuba	0.043	859 241	94 052	765 189
Cyprus	0.039	779 312	85 303	694 009
Czech Republic	0.183	3 656 769	400 268	3 256 501
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	0.010	199 824	21 873	177 951
Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Denmark	0.718	14 347 325	1 570 450	12 776 875
Djibouti	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Dominica	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Dominican Republic	0.035	699 382	76 554	622 828
Ecuador	0.019	379 665	41 558	338 107
Egypt	0.120	2 397 882	262 471	2 135 411

Member State	Scale of assessments 2005 (percentage)	Gross contributions for 2005	Credit from staff assessment	Net contributions
El Salvador	0.022	439 612	48 120	391 492
Equatorial Guinea	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Eritrea	0.001	19 982	1 005 a/	18 977
Estonia	0.012	239 788	26 247	213 541
Ethiopia	0.004	79 929	8 749	71 180
Fiji	0.004	79 929	8 749	71 180
Finland	0.533	10 650 591	1 165 808	9 484 783
France	6.030	120 493 546	13 189 157	107 304 389
Gabon	0.009	179 841	19 685	160 156
Gambia	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Georgia	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Germany	8.662	173 087 081	18 946 016	154 141 065
Ghana	0.004	79 929	8 749	71 180
Greece	0.530	10 590 643	1 159 246	9 431 397
Grenada	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Guatemala	0.030	599 471	65 618	533 853
Guinea	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Guinea-Bissau	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Guyana	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Haiti	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Honduras	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Hungary	0.126	2 517 776	275 594	2 242 182
Iceland	0.034	679 400	74 367	605 033
India	0.421	8 412 568	920 835	7 491 733
Indonesia	0.142	2 837 493	310 590	2 526 903
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	0.157	3 137 228	343 399	2 793 829
Iraq	0.016	319 718	34 996	284 722
Ireland	0.350	6 993 821	765 540	6 228 281
Israel	0.467	9 331 756	1 021 449	8 310 307
Italy	4.885	97 613 760	10 684 748	86 929 012
Jamaica	0.008	159 859	17 498	142 361
Japan	19.468	389 016 312	42 581 510	346 434 802
Jordan	0.011	219 806	24 060	195 746
Kazakhstan	0.025	499 559	54 681	444 878
Kenya	0.009	179 841	19 685	160 156
Kiribati	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Kuwait	0.162	3 237 140	354 336	2 882 804
Kyrgyzstan	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Lao People's Democratic Republic	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Latvia	0.015	299 735	32 809	266 926
Lebanon	0.024	479 576	52 494	427 082
Lesotho	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Liberia	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.132	2 637 670	288 718	2 348 952
Liechtenstein	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Lithuania	0.024	479 576	52 494	427 082
Luxembourg	0.077	1 538 641	168 419	1 370 222
Madagascar	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Malawi	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Malaysia	0.203	4 056 416	444 013	3 612 403
Maldives	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Mali	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Malta	0.014	279 753	30 622	249 131
Marshall Islands	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Mauritania	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Mauritius	0.011	219 806	24 060	195 746
Mexico	1.883	37 626 758	4 118 604	33 508 154
Micronesia (Federated States of)	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795

Member State	Scale of assessments 2005 (percentage)	Gross contributions for 2005	Credit from staff assessment	Net contributions
Monaco	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Mongolia	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Morocco	0.047	939 170	102 801	836 369
Mozambique	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Myanmar	0.010	199 824	21 873	177 951
Namibia	0.006	119 894	13 124	106 770
Nauru	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Nepal	0.004	79 929	8 749	71 180
Netherlands	1.690	33 770 165	3 696 464	30 073 701
New Zealand	0.221	4 416 099	483 384	3 932 715
Nicaragua	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Niger	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Nigeria	0.042	839 259	91 865	747 394
Norway	0.679	13 568 013	1 485 147	12 082 866
Oman	0.070	1 398 764	153 108	1 245 656
Pakistan	0.055	1 099 029	120 299	978 730
Palau	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Panama	0.019	379 665	41 558	338 107
Papua New Guinea	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Paraguay	0.012	239 788	26 247	213 541
Peru	0.092	1 838 376	201 228	1 637 148
Philippines	0.095	1 898 323	207 789	1 690 534
Poland	0.461	9 211 862	1 008 325	8 203 537
Portugal	0.470	9 391 703	1 028 011	8 363 692
Qatar	0.064	1 278 870	139 984	1 138 886
Republic of Korea	1.796	35 888 294	3 928 313	31 959 981
Republic of Moldova	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Romania	0.060	1 198 941	131 235	1 067 706
Russian Federation	1.100	21 980 581	2 405 982	19 574 599
Rwanda	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Saint Lucia	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Samoa	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
San Marino	0.003	59 947	6 562	53 385
Sao Tome and Principe	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Saudi Arabia	0.713	14 247 413	1 559 514	12 687 899
Senegal	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Serbia and Montenegro	0.019	379 665	41 558	338 107
Seychelles	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Sierra Leone	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Singapore	0.388	7 753 150	848 656	6 904 494
Slovakia	0.051	1 019 100	111 550	907 550
Slovenia	0.082	1 638 552	179 355	1 459 197
Solomon Islands	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Somalia	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
South Africa	0.292	5 834 845	638 679	5 196 166
Spain	2.520	50 355 512	5 511 886	44 843 626
Sri Lanka	0.017	339 700	37 183	302 517
Sudan	0.008	159 859	17 498	142 361
Suriname	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Swaziland	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Sweden	0.998	19 942 381	2 182 882	17 759 499
Switzerland	1.197	23 918 868	2 618 146	21 300 722
Syrian Arab Republic	0.038	759 329	82 231 a/	677 098
Tajikistan	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Thailand	0.209	4 176 310	457 137	3 719 173
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	0.006	119 894	13 124	106 770

Member State	Scale of assessments 2005 (percentage)	Gross contributions for 2005	Credit from staff assessment	Net contributions
Timor-Leste	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Togo	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Tonga	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Trinidad and Tobago	0.022	439 612	48 120	391 492
Tunisia	0.032	639 435	69 992	569 443
Turkey	0.372	7 433 433	780 796 a/	6 652 637
Turkmenistan	0.005	99 912	10 936	88 976
Tuvalu	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Uganda	0.006	119 894	13 124	106 770
Ukraine	0.039	779 312	85 303	694 009
United Arab Emirates	0.235	4 695 851	514 005	4 181 846
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	6.127	122 431 834	13 401 321	109 030 513
United Republic of Tanzania	0.006	119 894	13 124	106 770
United States of America	22.000	439 611 612	0 a/	439 611 612
Uruguay	0.048	959 153	104 988	854 165
Uzbekistan	0.014	279 753	30 622	249 131
Vanuatu	0.001	19 982	2 187	17 795
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	0.171	3 416 981	374 021	3 042 960
Viet Nam	0.021	419 629	45 932	373 697
Yemen	0.006	119 894	13 124	106 770
Zambia	0.002	39 965	4 375	35 590
Zimbabwe	0.007	139 877	15 311	124 566
TOTAL	100.000	1 998 234 600	170 571 077	1 827 663 523

a/ Amounts charged against the credits of the following Member States for 2005: Eritrea, $1,182; Syrian Arab Republic, $885; Turkey, $32,863; United States of America, $48,119,643.

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Assessment of contributions by non-member States towards the 2005 expenses of the United Nations for their participation in United Nations activities

1. By its resolution 44/197 B, the General Assembly endorsed the revised assessment procedures for non-member States contained in paragraphs 50 to 52 of the report of the Committee on Contributions.[1] These procedures provide for assessment of contributions on the basis of a flat annual fee at the beginning of each year. The flat annual fee is calculated for each non-member State on the basis of a varying proportion of the applicable rate of assessment, which is applied to the applicable assessment base. The assessment base equals the total net assessment for the United Nations regular budget for the year, adjusted for tax refunds. By its resolution 58/1 B, the General Assembly endorsed the recommendation of the Committee on Contributions that the flat annual fee percentage of the Holy See should be fixed at 50 per cent of the notional rate of assessment and that further periodic review of the flat annual fee percentage should be suspended.

2. The 2005 assessment base amounts to $1,779,508,950, as indicated in document ST/ADM/SER.B/638. The contribution payable by one non-member State for the year 2005 is shown below:

		Flat annual fee	
Non-member State	*2004-2006 assessment rate (percentage)*	*As proportion of assessment rate (percentage)*	*Amount payable (United States dollars)*
Holy See	0.001	50	8 898
Total			**8 898**

Notes

[1] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 11* and addendum and corrigendum (A/44/11 and Add.1 and Corr.1).

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